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**VIA ECF**

The Honorable Denis. R. Hurley  
United States District Judge for the  
Eastern District of New York  
100 Federal Plaza  
Central Islip, New York 11722

Re: *Carlos Amaya v. Ernesto Decena, et al.*,  
Docket No.: 19-cv-7194 (DRH) (AKT)

Dear Judge Hurley:

We were recently retained to represent Ernie's Auto Detailing, Inc. and Ernesto Decena ("Defendants"), in the above-referenced matter. Pursuant to Rule 2(E) of Your Honor's Individual Rules of Practice, Defendants write to respectfully request until April 7, 2020 to answer, move, or otherwise respond to Plaintiff's Complaint. Defendants' answer is currently due on March 12, 2020. Defendants require additional time to investigate Plaintiff's claims and properly respond to the Complaint, or engage counsel in settlement discussions. This is Defendants' first request for an extension and it does not affect any other deadline, including the Initial Conference currently scheduled for April 8, 2020 at 10:30 a.m. Plaintiff's counsel consents to this request, as set forth in the enclosed Stipulation.

We thank the Court for its time and consideration to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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/s/ Noel P. Tripp

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cc: All Counsel of Record (via ECF)  
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